

YUSA CORPORATION
WASHINGTON C.H., OHIO

The YUSA Corporation, of Washington C.H., Ohio, a division of the Yamashita Rubber Company of Japan, manufactures suspension parts, fluid carrying parts and other molded rubber components for automobiles. The facility is active in local community events and is involved with area schools. The facility is also ISO14001 Certified.

ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE

Past Achievements

AT A GLANCE:

Industry Sector:	SIC 3714
Business:	Manufactures suspension parts, fluid carrying parts and molded rubber components
Facility Employees:	500-1,000
Accomplishments:	Reduced total water use Increased materials recycled
Commitments:	Reduce total energy use Reduce emissions of VOC's Reduce hazardous solid waste Increase materials recycled
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Web Site:	www.usa-oh.com

YUSA Corporation has demonstrated its commitment to environmental performance through reduced total water use and also through increased materials recycled. Since 1998, the facility has:

- **Reduced total water use** by 31, 786 gallons by updating machinery and current procedures, and also by hiring outside support to aid in improvements.
- **Increased materials recycled** by almost 3 times the amount previously used through education of employees and through acquisition of new methods of recycling.

Future Commitments

YUSA Corporation is working to reduce total energy use, emissions of VOC's, hazardous solid waste and also increase materials recycled. By 2003, the company will:

- **Reduce total energy use** 20% through additional technology and also through expanding the existing energy management system.
- **Reduce emissions of VOC's** by 27% through updating machinery and through process improvement.
- **Reduce hazardous solid waste** by 27% through changing materials used, tracking the waste

stream and also through process improvement.

- **Increase materials recycled** by almost 20% by increasing materials to be recycled, improving collection methods and also through additional reuse of materials.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

The YUSA Corporation facility has several methods through which it disseminates information, such as their web site, the local newspaper, and public meetings. The facility also has a formal procedure through which incoming questions are addressed. Members from the facility also attend local environmental planning committee meetings with the community. The Performance Track Annual Performance Report will be available on the company website, at open houses, through the local newspaper and through the local emergency preparedness committee.